

## Editorial Comment

Mrs. J. R. Bond, of Oklahoma City, has preferred charges of improper conduct against Senator Thor. P. Gore, which the papers are handling in a vague sort of way, but Washington is agog with the scandal. As Senator Gore is totally blind, the joke seems to be on the lady in the case, who ought to have been able to hold her own with a blind man.

Luis Manuel Rojas, a Mexican Congressman, has filed in formal charges against Minister Henry Lane Wilson, accusing him of winking at the assassination of President Madero and Vice President Saurez. He of course denies it, but many people believe Rojas is telling the truth. President Wilson should lose no time in firing his namesake.

Arthur Hummel, a teacher at Kobe, Japan, cabled Miss Ruth Bookwalter, Kansas City, Kan., a proposal of marriage and was accepted by the one word "yes." She will go to Japan and the wedding will take place on her arrival there. They were former sweethearts.

The Louisiana Democrats refused to accept President Wilson's compromise on the sugar schedule and are going to have to take a bitter pill sugar coated. The tariff policy of a great party cannot be changed to suit two or three Protectionist Democrats in Congress.

Miss Zatie P. Emerson, of Jackson, Mich., with an income of \$10,000 a year, who became a chambermaid in a hotel to learn of the life of a working woman and later went to England to become a suffragette, is now serving a term in the Halloway jail.

Congressman Thomas has endorsed Jas. M. Richardson, at Glasgow; C. Griffith, at Russellville, and S. Book, at Smith's Grove, for post-office vacancies in his district and early appointments are expected.

Senator James will lose no time in endorsing five applicants for the Kentucky collectorships and one for surveyor at Louisville and the appointments are expected to be made this week.

Former Governor Beckham was in Washington last week pressing the claims of some candidates for office who are not endorsed by Senator James. He saw the President Friday.

The extra session of Congress which convened yesterday will deal with the flood situation and make speedy appropriations for the sufferers.

Two white men and two negroes were hanged, one at a time, at Montgomery, Ala., Friday. All were convicted on charges of murder.

A marooned family in the Ohio valley took 32 hens into the house when the waters rose and lived for four days on the eggs the hens laid.

Judge Mike Savage, of Clarksville, has been appointed assistant Attorney General and assigned to prosecute the Bill Posting Trust.

H. B. Brown, Sheriff of Morgan county, lost his office by failing to execute a new bond by March 1.

Montenegro refuses to be called down by the Powers, but is a real "sassy" about holding Skutari.

B. A. Enloe, Jr., a son of the Tennessee politician, has been re-elected Mayor of McAlester, Okla.

Two sets of twins and a single baby were born in the colony of refugees in barns in the Ohio valley.

Mrs. Pankhurst has gone on a starvation strike in the London prison and has to be forcibly fed.

Eight more farmers of Henderson county have had their tobacco beds sowed with grass seed.

The probe of the arson trust in Chicago has resulted in 116 indictments.

WILSON WILL  
READ MESSAGE

President to Violate Traditions  
of Country in Going to  
the Capitol.

## WILL CONTINUE THIS POLICY

Expects to Be in Frequent Con-  
sultation With Congress-  
men on The Floor.

Washington, April 7. — Sitting aside precedents of more than a century, President Wilson will appear in the halls of congress today to deliver his first legislative message in person. He announced to democratic congressional leaders that he would go to the floor of the house when it convened today and there give that body his views on the tariff.

This decision of the president evoked much comment among the congressional leaders. He will be the first president of the United States to appear officially before either branch of congress in deliberative session since John Adams in the first few years of the last century. An attempt was made exactly 100 years ago, in 1813, to revive the custom, but President Madison declined an invitation to discuss foreign relations in the senate. Since then no president has ever suggested joining in the deliberations of congress. The senate has already organized for the new congress and its session will be a mere routine meeting. Immediately afterward, however, a democratic caucus will be held, when the fight to revise the senate rules, to liberalize the proceedings in the upper body will begin.

When the house convened in its changed chamber, where benches have taken the place of the old time desks and chairs, the members, including hundreds of representatives elected last fall, were sworn in. Clerk South Trimble was the presiding officer until the seats had been filled and a speaker elected.

The democrats following their caucus decision nominated and re-elected Speaker Champ Clark. The republicans nominated Rep. Mann of Illinois; the progressives, the new party organization in the house nominated Rep. Murdock of Kansas.

## ALL THINGS FAIR

In Love, Thought Crofton Cou-  
ple, Who Skipped to  
Clarksville.

The Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle of last Thursday contained a well written article about the marriage of Miss Sybil Lovan and Mr. Otho Wilson at Clarksville Thursday. On Wednesday night the young lady climbed out of a window and met her intended and they reached Clarksville Thursday morning about four o'clock. They soon found a justice of the peace and returned to Kentucky man and wife.

## FISH TO BE HAD

For the Gathering When Swal-  
low Spring is Drained.

It is believed that when Swallow Spring is drained everybody can get all the fish he wants. It will be remembered that when the water receded last summer immense quantities of choice large fish were taken out of the hole, where the water had become so low that there was not enough for them to have lived much longer. It was reported then that the ground was covered about the spring with fish that had been thrown away by different parties.

After all the riverless town has its advantage.

MAN KILLED  
BY WOMAN

Life Snuffed Out By Single  
Shot Which Struck in  
Victim's Head.

## WOMAN ARRESTED, IN JAIL

Woman's Father Was Killed by  
Convict in the Peniten-  
tiary.

There was a tragedy in the neighborhood of Bell, this county, last Saturday night. The principals were both colored, named Daisy Kendrick, a woman, and Willie Radford. The latter was shot in the head and he died instantly. The woman fired three shots, two of them burying themselves in the wall, the third one in Radford's head.

After the killing, the woman, who lives with Mr. John W. Garnett, went to Mr. Garnett, it is said, and told him she had "killed her a man." The real cause of the killing is not yet known and will probably not until the woman is put on trial. One of the arresting officers said yesterday that all that was known as to what induced the woman to kill Radford was that she said Radford followed her to her home against her earnest protest, entered the house and took his seat.

The killing occurred about 7 o'clock. Sheriff Johnson was notified by phone and deputies Johnson and Smith made a quick trip to the farm of Mr. Garnett and arrested the woman and brought her to the city and placed her in jail pending her examining trial before the County Judge.

Frank Kendrick, the father of Daisy Kendrick, was killed by another negro, Bennie Heron, who is serving a term in the Eddyville penitentiary, having been sent up nearly two years ago.

Daisy Kendrick was arraigned before Judge Walter Knight yesterday and she was held over to the next grand jury in a bond of \$750.

Mr. Garnett signed the bond and the woman was released.

## FLOOD SUFFERS

Were Remembered By the Pas-  
tors Sunday.

The attendance of the churches Sunday was a little larger than at any time since the fulfillment of the prophecy of the ground hog. It being the first Sunday in the new quarter the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered at most of the churches.

At all of the churches the pastors made earnest calls on the people to remember the sufferers from the flood and to help them by contributions.

## TWO BROTHERS

From Russia Adopted Into  
Uncle Sam's Family.

Last Friday Abraham and Max Sable, two young merchants of the city, Jews, born in Russia, were admitted to full citizenship. Their petitions were filed some months ago, and the naturalization laws having been complied with, the oath of allegiance to this government was administered to them.

## Municipal Ownership.

I am in favor and do not suppose there is a candidate for Councilman in the city of Hopkinsville who does not favor submitting to the people the question of municipal ownership of the light and sewerage systems.

S. G. BUCKNER.  
Advertisement.

OLD BONDS  
TO BE PAID.

Council Will Levy Tax To  
Take Up Outlawed  
Debt.

## STREETS TO BE SPRINKLED.

White Way Propostion Noti-  
fied Upon.--Would Be  
Expensive.

The Council met Friday night in regular session and a good deal of business was transacted. The usual department reports were received and filed.

Dr. J. W. Harned was allowed \$112 for services in handling two smallpox cases in February.

The budget of accounts amounting to \$1,113.31 was allowed.

A petition from citizens presented by Mr. John H. Bell asked that the city appropriate \$750 to pay half the estimated cost of sprinkling certain streets in the business section for thirty weeks. After discussion, a motion was made and carried that the city would do the sprinkling under contract with its own sprinkler when the \$750 to be paid by the citizens was raised, the city bearing the additional expense. The action was accepted as satisfactory and Mr. Bell agreed to collect the subscriptions.

It was also ordered that oil would be ordered and spread on any streets the citizens desired oiled, but only when entire expense was borne by citizens and the money paid over in advance, the city to furnish no part of the oil.

Street work was ordered on West 15th street, Cedar street and other streets.

The Council was asked to assume a cost of \$2,500 for 60 white way lights on Main and 9th streets, to be lighted till 10:30 p. m. Action was postponed.

The Council by unanimous vote agreed to make a levy in June to take up the outlawed bonds of Dr. E. S. Stuart, \$600 of bonds and \$525 of coupons, payable Dec. 1. These bonds were lost and not found until 18 years after they had been called in. The Council will take them up as a moral obligation, as they have no legal value.

The bond of Delinquent Tax Collector J. D. Higgins was approved for \$2,500.

Several street ordinances were given their first passage.

The Council adjourned till Monday night.

## W. T. TANDY

The New President of the  
Athenaeum--Banquet  
May 8.

The Athenaeum met Thursday night with two excellent papers. Col. Jouett Henry wrote on "Our Unpreparedness for War" and Mr. John Stites on "Graft and Public Honesty." Both papers were discussed in a most interesting manner. The annual election resulted in the election of the following officers: W. T. Tandy, President; Ira L. Smith, Vice President; H. W. Linton, Secretary.

The annual banquet was set for May 8 at Hotel Latham, with the following speakers:

Toastmaster, W. T. Tandy.

"Suffragettes and Husbandettes," Ira L. Smith.

"The Bird and the Worm," Frank Rivers.

"Ta! Timber," Geo. E. Gary.

"The Friends of Yesterday," H. Clay Smith.

"Fads and Fancies," T. C. Underwood.

There were 24 members present.

TABERNACLE  
ATTRactions

To Be Put On Again Next Win-  
ter, After a Long Year's  
Rest.

## BEST COURSE EVER SECURED.

Season 1913-14 Opens in No-  
vember With Guaranteed  
Support.

Realizing the importance of maintaining the Tabernacle and of presenting a lyceum course for the betterment of the community, the Union Tabernacle Association has agreed to accept the proposition of the Bureau and put on the best course ever attempted, provided the churches, who own the building, are willing to do their part in disposing of the tickets. The various societies of the churches have been approached and all have obligated themselves to handle the proposition.

The contract was closed and, beginning November of this year, the following attractions will be presented during the season at the Tabernacle:

International Operatic Company, who will give selections from the best of the modern popular grand opera.

Dr. Russell H. Couwell, in his world famous lecture, "Acres of Diamonds."

The Schuman Quintet, "Putting Rag-Time Out of Business," with explanation and illustrations, bringing out why classical music is classical.

Robert Parker Miles, the well-known and much sought after popular lecturer.

The Euclid Male Quartet, composed of the best male voices and having the largest set of organ chimes now in lyceum.

Sidney Lauder, in artistic character sketches, presenting the novel Yankee farmer with some of his ideas, in make-up, as well as the embarrassed minister in a predicament.

## MUCH WORK

Going On Preparatory To Beau-  
tifying Virginia Park.

A great deal of work is being done in Virginia Park preparatory to beautifying it. Many walks have been laid out and trenches dug for making concrete walks, which will be rushed to completion when begun. A pergola has been put up to take the place of the old Latham grape harbor and the high stone wall along Ninth street has been taken down and will be rebuilt to comply with the stone walls fronting Campbell and Seventh streets. Trees have been put out in Peace Park, the work of grading having been completed some time since.

## TEACHERS

May Have to Wait Thirty Days  
For Their Money.

Frankfort, Ky., April 5.—Many county superintendents attending the meeting here have made inquiries about when they are to receive their February apportionment of the state school fund, amounting to \$500,000. It was explained to them that there is in the fund now \$389,838.30. This last payment must be in full and the warrant cannot be met until about \$125,000 more is received into the fund in the treasury. That will be probably within the next thirty days.

Light Brahma eggs \$1 per setting of 15. Telephone Gracey exchange 38-2. Advertisement.

RURALES  
A FEATURE

Direct From The Army of Mex-  
ico And Add Artistic Dis-  
play to Aggregation.

## COSSACKS FROM RUSSIA

Many Famous Old Indian Chiefs  
And Warriors With The  
Show.

A rare treat is offered the people of Hopkinsville on April 15, when the world famous Kit Carson's Buffalo Ranch Wild West Shows will exhibit here afternoon and night. This is the one Wild West Show whose phenomenal success during the past 14 years is well deserved. Not only do they present all they advertise but much more, and after each performance every patron leaves the grounds a well satisfied person. Coming as they do on their own special trains of double-length cars, they are well equipped to carry everything needed to make their attraction rank as the world's foremost amusement enterprise. Unexcelled



are their frontier features. Their cowboys and girls are culled from the very best riders and ropers of all the ranches in America. The Cossacks were imported from Russia after being selected from the Czar's finest cavalry and are without doubt the most expert horsemen in all the universe. Mexican Rurales direct from the army of Mexico add to the artistic display of fancy riding. Perhaps never again will you have the chance to see so many famous old Indian chiefs and warriors. Nearly every tribe of the noble red man is well represented in the collection of braves, squaws and papooses comprising the savage element of this, the most exemplary institution for amusement in existence.

But two performances will be given so make all arrangements in advance, be on hand and see their two mile pageant of glittering gold and silver. Hurry to the show grounds and be among the very first to gain admission, thus securing the most desirable seats, settle back comfortably and have two hours of the most excitable and agreeable entertainment ever offered the American public.—Advertisement.

## FLOOD IN PICTURES

Film of Timely Interest at the  
Rex Theatre, Wednesday.

The motion picture camera man is here, there and everywhere. The present flood situation, in our sister states to the North, has been thoroughly covered and made ready for screen presentation. The widespread interest, aroused by the newspaper accounts of the enormous destruction of property, loss of life and the tribulations of the flood sufferers, makes this a motion picture of unusual interest and gives a striking evidence of what science and invention have done for progress. One hundred years ago the news of this disaster would have been weeks in reaching the people—ten years ago would have been hours in being typed—now, actual scenes placed before you, of destruction and havoc wrought by the raging waters, before those angry waves have subsided. Truly this is a wonderful age we live in.